

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Matsuura, et al.

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For: Rewriting System for Rewriting a Memory on a

Vehicle Controller (as amended)

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated October 7, 2004 (Paper No. 20041001), please amend the claims in this application as set forth below, to place the application in condition for allowance and, in the alternative, in better condition for appeal.